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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith four (4) sheets of formal drawings depicting FIGS. 1-3B for this application.

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